Application Instructions

2025 Merchandise Sponsorship Round 1

A great range of sponsorship merchandise is available through two annual application rounds as part of our community partnership program, the *Ripple Effect*.

Please only apply if you will be using your merchandise **before the end of August 2025.** Our second round of merchandise sponsorship opens at this time and we would encourage you to apply then.

Round 1 - NOW OPEN

Applications open 24th of February 2025 at 12:00AM

Applications close 24th of March 2025 at 12:00PM

Outcomes will be advised to all applicants by 28th of March 2025.

To understand if your organisation is eligible for sponsorship through our program, please read the following <u>Ripple Effect Merchandise Sponsorship</u> <u>Guidelines</u>

Merchandise available includes:

- Stainless steel water bottles
- Calico tote bag
- 10 litre buckets
- Garden trigger nozzles
- Sports pack (includes sports back sack, sports towel and water bottle)

For further enquiries, please email rippleeffect@wannonwater.com.au

Eligibility

The following organisations are eligible to apply:

- Community, not-for-profit, or Aboriginal organisations that are an incorporated legal entity under the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth), or the Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2001 (Vic) or the Corporation (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006 (Cth).
- Schools in the Wannon Water service region.

Alignment with our services and strategic direction

To be considered for sponsorship, project activities should:

- Be delivered within the Wannon Water service region.
- Align with at least one theme from our strategic focus areas, as mentioned in our sponsorship guidelines.

Applications that fall outside the scope of the program will NOT be considered, including activities that:

- Will be held outside our service region.
- May attract adverse community response.

- Involve open-ended sponsorship, or naming rights.
- Discriminate adversely against any people, organisations or groups.
- Support organisations that derive primary income from, or are significantly linked to, tobacco, gaming or alcohol industries.
- Have visible links to political or lobby groups.

Applicants who have outstanding evaluation or acquittal reports from previous Wannon Water applications are not eligible to apply.

Other conditions:

- 1.Wannon Water reserves the right to terminate any sponsorship arrangement, should the association cease to be appropriate.
- 2.Sponsorship should not be considered a general endorsement of the organisation or its products by the Victorian State Government, and the arrangement must not be promoted or publicised as such.
- 3.All parties should understand clearly that the sponsorship arrangement has no bearing on Wannon Water's exercise of its regulatory or inspectorial functions.

Privacy notice

We pledge to respect and uphold your rights to privacy protection under the <u>Australian</u> <u>Privacy Principles (APPs)</u> as established under the *Privacy Act 1988* and amended by the *Privacy Amendment (Enhancing Privacy Protection) Act 2012.* To view our privacy statement, go to <u>http://www.wannonwater.com.au/about-us/policy-legislation/</u> <u>policies.aspx#privacy-charter</u>

Organisation

* indicates a required field

About

Organisation, school or group name * Organisation Name

Local Government Area *

Which Local Government Area is the project/event located?

Please provide a brief description of your organisation, school or group *

Contact details

Application Contact person * First Name Last Name

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This is the person we will contact regarding this application.

Phone number *

Must be an Australian phone number. This is the primary phone number we will use to contact you regarding this application.

Email address *

This is the address we will use to correspond with you about this application.

Position *

What is the contacts position within the organisation?

Organisation / Group Type

What type of organisation is the applicant? * Registered Not-for-profit/Incorporated Association ABN

Evidence of legal status must be provided on request

Legal structure

Please include your ABN or Incorporated Association number, these can generally be found on the <u>CAV search register</u>, or <u>ABN lookup</u>.

Incorporated Association Number: *

ABN (if relevant)

The ABN provided will be used to look up the following information. Click Lookup above to check that you have entered the ABN correctly.

Information from the Australian Business Register			
ABN			
Entity name			
ABN status			
Entity type			
Goods & Services Tax (GST)			
DGR Endorsed			
ATO Charity Type <u>More information</u>			
ACNC Registration			

Tax Concessions

Main business location

Must be an ABN.

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Main business location					

Must be an ABN.

Legal Structure - Other

Where no ABN or Incorporated Association Numbers exist, please describe your legal status: $\ensuremath{^*}$

Merchandise Request

* indicates a required field

Select merchandise items below

See our <u>webpage</u> for photos and descriptions of merchandise available.

Our merchandise may be limited. Please only indicate what your group *needs* to ensure we are able to provide support to as many groups as possible.

Select required number of items from the drop down list.

Stainless Steel Water Bottles

Calico Bags

10 Litre Bucket

Garden Trigger Nozzle

Sports Pack

Featuring a nylon backsack, gym towel and stainless steel water bottle. Availability is limited.

Merchandise Collection

If your application is successful, please let us know how you would prefer to receive your items.

Collection or Delivery *

25 Gateway Rd Warrnambool 66 Gray St Hamilton 15 Townsend St Portland Delivery If you would like to collect from one of our Wannon Water offices, please choose the closest/most convenient location. Delivery will be via a courier.

Delivery Details

Delivery will be via a courier so please ensure all information provided is accurate.

Please provide the following details: *

○ Individual
 ○ Organisation
 Organisation Name

Title	First Name	Last Name

Address for delivery of items * Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, and Postcode are required. Please do not provide a private home address

Contact phone number for delivery *

Delivery instructions

Tell us if there are any additional delivery details eg. where to leave parcels, or business name if different to that listed on the application.

Project Details

* indicates a required field

About the project

What is the title of your event or project? *

This is the name that we will refer to on all future correspondence.

Provide a short summary of your event or project: *

e.g. include a description of event activities

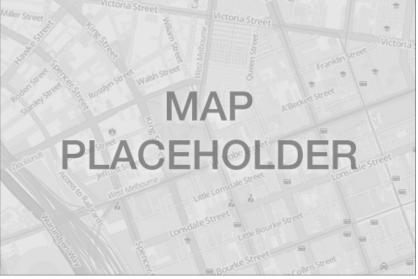
Start Date *

If your event or project requires the merchandise before 10th of April, please be aware that it may not be available in time.

End Date *

If your event/project starts after 29th of August, please apply for our second round of merchandise sponsorship which will open in August.

Project location * Address



All projects supported must be located within the Wannon Water service region. Start typing address in and select location from drop down menu.

Additional details

The following information helps us to understand how your event aligns with our strategic community priority areas.

Which of the following Wannon Water strategic community priority areas best align with your event/project? *

□ Regional Prosperity □ Education, Training and volunteering □ Health and Wellbeing □ Natural Environment

You can choose more than one.

Which age group will benefit most from your event/project? *

- □ Infants and early childhood
- □ Children (6-12)
- \Box Adolescents (13-18)

- □ Adults (26-64) \Box Seniors (65+)
- \Box All age groups

□ Young adults (19-25)

How will participants benefit from your event/project? *

Describe three things you want the project to achieve in terms of benefits for participants and/or others

We always encourage applicants to consider how their events or projects might be more inclusive. Do you have any measures in place to ensure accessibility for participants of different ages, abilities, or gender? *

Please list any other event partners or sponsors

Promotion and dissemination

We love hearing your project stories and sharing photos and any other promotional material across our communities.

To do this we need consent that any information you send us, may be used for Wannon Water communications purposes including but not limited to social media and print material. Please note, we will forward a copy of the Wannon Water corporate logo and brand guide to support this.

Do you consent that any photos or promotional material you send may be used by Wannon Water for communications purposes? $\ensuremath{^*}$

⊖ Yes

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Do you agree to share three high-resolution images with us within five business days of the event's completion? *

○ Yes ○ No

○ Other:

How will you share the story of your event/ project and acknowledge Wannon Water's support? *

Feedback

* indicates a required field

Education Opportunities

Community Education program

We offer community education sessions and resources to community groups. These sessions can take part in regular meetings or special events such as Annual General Meetings, or community forums.

Please visit here to <u>request a community education session</u>. For more information please email <u>education@wannonwater.com.au</u>

Keeping in the loop with our major updates

Our <u>Engage & Explore</u> online hub is where you can find out more about key projects updates.

Feedback

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Next steps

Thank you for your application. You will receive notification of your application outcome on the 28th of March.

If you have any enquiries, please email <u>rippleeffect@wannonwater.com.au</u> and we will respond to you as soon as possible, or call us on 1300 926 666.